IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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METHODS OF ADJUSTING GLASS MELTING AND FORMING

TEMPERATURES WITHOUT SUBSTANTIALLY CHANGING BENDING

1+55

AND ANNEALING TEMPERATURES AND GLASS ARTICLES

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Sir:

This communication is in response to the **Notice of Non-Compliant** Amendment mailed on August 9, 2004. Attached to this communication is a corrected section of the amendment titled: Amendments to the Claims. This section includes the text for the withdrawn claims 1-12 and 22.

If there are any questions regarding the above, please call applicants' attorney at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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